

I would like to register my opposition to the CBA's attempt to circumvent the state of Indiana's telephone privacy law.

Because of my work schedule, I sleep during the day. In the past few years, since the enactment of this law, I have been able to both get decent sleep and leave my telephone ringer on in case of a family emergency. Prior to the no-call list in Indiana, I needed to choose between those two options.

The list of CBA members who are asking for this includes two banks, J.P. Morgan Chase and Co. (then Bank One) and National City Corp., that were among the worst offenders prior to the no-call list. These banks have my address, they send me mail all the time, there is no reason why they should be able to call me as well to peddle their products. If I want to reach them, I know where to find them.

Thank you for taking the time to read my comments.